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...LLINOIS, } ss ...OUNTY. }

...n County Circuit Court.

...r of Ittoria Alexander vs Sam... ...alone, et al —Foreclosure.

...OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, ...ursuance of a decretal order en... above entitled cause, in said May term, A. D. 1876, I, John Master in Chancery for said

...th day of December, A. D 1876,

...of two o'clock, P. M of said day, ...public auction to the highest ...cash at the west door of the ...e in Decatur, in said county, the ...escribed real estate, situate in ...of Macon and State of Illinois ...ts Nos one and two, in the ...quarter of section thirty-two ...ship No. sixteen (16) north, ...ree 3 east of the 3rd principal ...x ept one acre, more or less, ...D. A Burrows, containing for... ...3 100 acres, more or less, ...th all and singular the ...nd hereditaments thereunto ...said premises will be sold sub... ...ption

JOHN A BROWN, ...hancery for Macon county, Ill. ...Nov 15 A D 1876—d3w

...ncery Notice.

...t court to the December Term, A. D 1876.

...LLINOIS, } ss ...UNTY. }

...HOMAS vs ELIZA ANN THOMAS.

...IT of the non-residence of Eliza ...m is defendant above named, ...ed in the office of the clerk of ...urt of Macon county, Illinois, ...e is given to the said Eliza Ann ...he above named complainant ...ed his bill of complaint in said ...e chancery thereof, and that a ...thereupon issued out of said ...st the above named defendant, ...on the first day of the term of ...urt of said Macon county, to ...the Court House, in Decatur, in ...n the first Monday of Decem... ...s ... as by law required, and ...s ... pending.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk, ...RRIS jr., Solicitor for Plaintiff ...—d4w

...Y NOTICE—STATE OF ILLI... ...nty of Macon ss. Circuit Court ...ounty, December Term, A. D. ...N. ... Russell D. Gill and ...Morrison ... Anna Gill, Lee M ...n H ... Daniel F. Gill, Cathe... ...and Jane A Pyles—In Chan...

...of the non residence of Cathe... ...and Jane A Pyles, defendants ...having been filed in the office ...of the Circuit Court of Macon ...ce is hereby given to the said ...nsel and Jane A. Pyles, that ...is heretofore filed their bill ...n said court on the chancery ...that a summons there... ...out of said court against said ...turnable at the Court House, ...f Decatur, in said county, on ...nday of December, A. D 1876, as ...n red

...s you, the said Catherine Whit... ...A. Pyles, shall personally be ...efore said court on the first day ...and plead, answer or demur to ...mplainant's bill of complaint, ...and the matters and things ...rged and stated, will be taken as ...ainst you, and a decree entered ...o the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk. ...s, Complainant's Solicitor.

...nistrators' Notice

...LYDIA HARNER, Deceased.

...NOTICE is hereby given to all ...having claims and demands ...estate of LYDIA HARNER, ...present the same for adjudica... ...ttlement at a regular term of ...Court of Macon county, to be ...the Court House, in the city of ...the third Monday of November, ...being the first day of said term. ...October 2, A. D. 1876.

WILLIAM B. HARNER, SILVEN M. HARNER, Administrators.

...IGNEE'S NOTICE.

...RT OF THE UNITED STATES, } ss ...N DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS; }

...ersigned hereby gives notice of ...pointment as Assignee of George ...n, of Edgar county, Illinois, in ...t, who has been adjudged bank... ...own petition.

...BEN H MERIWEATHER, Assignee, &c.

RUFUS C. CROCKER

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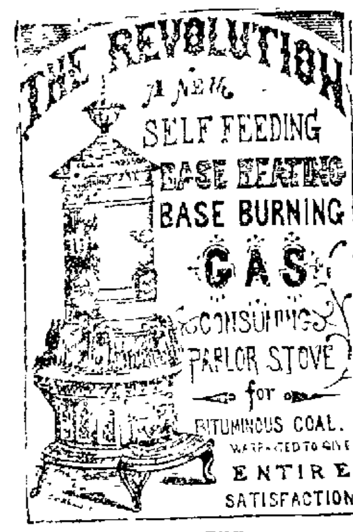

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VERY convenient to the business part of the city; also a good house, with large lot, on North College street, with plenty of fruit, and general conveniences; and a good farm of 280 acres, 1½ miles northwest of Willey's Station, on the Decatur & East St Louis railroad, at $35 per acre.

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DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

THE FIRM OF HARRIS & TUTTLE, composed of J. W. Harris and B. B. Tuttle, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, and all bills, notes and accounts owing to said firm are to be paid to B. B. Tuttle.

J. W. HARRIS.
B. B. TUTTLE.

Decatur Ill., Nov. 13th, 1876.

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POST OFFICE HOURS.

Office open at 7 A. M.; closes at 8 P. M.
Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.
Money Order and Registering office open from 7.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS CLOSE

For Terre Haute, on Ill. M. R R	6 10 A. M.
" West and St Louis, on T., W & W	10.40 A. M.
" East and Chicago, on T W & W	11-30 A. M.
" East, on Ind , D & S. R. R.	1:00 P. M.
" Peoria, on Ill M. R R.	1 00 P. M.
" Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W.	1,00 P. M.
" Pekin and Peoria, on T., W. & W. R. R.	2:30 P. M.
" Chicago and St. Louis	3 00 P. M.
" Lafayette and East.	5 00 P. M.
" North, on Ill. Cent. R. R.	5.00 P. M.

MAILS ARRIVE

From South and St. Louis	5:45 A. M.
" Lafayette, on T., W. & W.	5 15 A. M.
" Peoria, on I. M. R. R.	5 45 A. M.
" Pekin and Peoria, on T., W. & W. and Ill. Mid. R. R.	10 30 A. M.
" East	11.20 A. M.
" Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W.	11-20 A. M.
" East, on Ind., D & S. R. R.	11 20 A. M.
" West and St. Louis, on T., W. & W.	12 30 P. M.
" East, on Ill. Mid. R. R.	1 30 P. M.
" North, on Illinois Central	5:45 P. M.

R. P. LYTLE, Postmaster.
Decatur, Ill., May 1, 1876.

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We would advise all persons who are contemplating a trip to the West, either for pleasure or for permanent settlement, to first select the BEST AND MOST DIRECT ROUTE. Now the fact that the Old Reliable Hannibal & St. Joseph Railroad and connections, form THE ONLY LINE RUNNING THROUGH PULLMAN SLEEPING CARS AND DAY COACHES from Cleveland and Toledo via the T., W. & W. R'y, and from Chicago via the C , B. & Q. R. R. via Quincy to St. Joseph, Atchison and Kansas City, WITHOUT CHANGE, making direct connections at these points with all trains for the West and South, should satisfy every one that this is THE ROUTE. Should you desire a map of this line, or any information regarding time or rates, the same will be gladly furnished upon application, either by letter or in person, to T. PENFIELD, General Pass. and Ticket Agent, Hannibal, Missouri. [feb 24 dtf

Texas.—We have just received the agency for the sale or exchange of several sections of land, in the new counties of Motley and Dickens, in northwest Texas. These lands are located in a beautiful prairie country, adapted to the raising of stock and general farm purposes, adjoining, and in the vicinity of lands located by H. B. Durfee, who is familiar with the general character of the lands we are now offering.

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Oysters served in any style at J. J. Drake's Restaurant, Opera Block. 9dtf

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Young Man, do you want a nobby suit? Mr. P. A. Schaub, with J. R. Race & Co , is the man to take your measure. Au30dtf

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"I had no appetite: Holloway's Pills gave me a hearty one"
"Your Pills are marvellous"
"I send for another box, and keep them in the house"
"Dr. Holloway has cured my headache that was chronic."
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"My nausea of a morning is now cured"
"Your box of Holloway's Ointment cured me of noises in the head I rubbed some of your Ointment behind the ears, and the noise has left."
"Send me two boxes; I want one for a poor family"
"I enclose a dollar; your price is 25 cents, but the medicine to me is worth a dollar."
"Send me five boxes of your Pills"
"Let me have three boxes of your Pills by return mail, for Chills and Fever"
I have over 200 such testimonials as these but want of space compels me to conclude.

For Cutaneous Disorders.

And all eruptions of the skin, this Ointment is most invaluable It does not heal externally alone, but penetrates with the most searching effects to the very root of the evil.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS

Invariably cure the following diseases

Disorders of the Kidneys.

In all diseases affecting these organs, whether they secrete too much or too little water, or whether they be afflicted with stone or gravel, or with aches and pains settled in the loins over the regions of the kidneys, these Pills should be taken according to the printed directions, and the Ointment should be well rubbed into the small of the back at bed time. This treatment will give almost immediate relief when all other means have failed.

For Stomachs Out of Order.

No medicine will so effectually improve the tone of the stomach as these Pills; they remove all acidity occasioned either by intemperance or improper diet. They reach the liver and reduce it to a healthy action; they are wonderfully efficacious in cases of spasm—in fact they never fail in curing all disorders of the liver and stomach.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS are the best known in the world for the following diseases: Ague, Asthma, Bilious Complaints, Blotches on the Skin, Bowels, Consumption, Debility, Dropsy, Dysentery, Erysipelas, Female Irregularities, Fevers of all kinds, Fits, Gout, Headache, Indigestion, Inflammation, Jaundice, Liver Complaints, Lumbago, Piles, Rheumatism, Retention of Urine, Scrofula or King's Evil, Sore throats, Stone and Gravel, Tic-Douloureux, Tumors, Ulcers, Worms of all kinds, Weakness from any cause, etc.

IMPORTANT CAUTION.

None are genuine unless the signature of J. HAYDOCK, as agent for the United States, surrounds each box of Pills and Ointment. A handsome reward will be given to any one rendering such information as may lead to the detection of any party or parties counterfeiting the medicines or vending the same, knowing them to be spurious.

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There is considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each box.

Office, 112 Liberty St., New York
Nov 23, 1876—d&wly

Weight of The Human Body.

There are few people but like to be weighed occasionally; some do it regularly at certain hours, before and after meals, or taking a bath, etc. Yet there are few things so changeable as the weight of the body: indeed, it is rarely the same for a few minutes together, and if a man were to sit on one of the plates for a whole day, the other plate would be constantly oscillating within certain limits. The state of the weather and time of the year influence our weight. In summer we grow fatter than we are in winter, such is the general rule, yet most people believe that hot weather makes us leaner. It is true we eat less and perspire more; these are certainly two causes of loss, but, on the other hand, we expend less to keep up the temperature of the body, and moreover we drink more, and our beverages possess the curious property of increasing our fat. Beer, and even pure water are great fattening agents. Cattle reared for slaughter get a great deal to drink, which increases their bulk considerably; the tissues are gorged with liquid, and so the weight increases, but the system is weakened. In winter, the organism has to be provided with heat; we eat more, but also expend more to keep up the temperature of the body; then also we drink less, so that, on the whole, the loss is greater than the gain, and we grow lean. In short, we fatten when, under ordinary circumstances, we burn more of the food we have taken, and we, therefore, in breathing, exhale carbonic acid in proportion. We begin to emit less of the latter in April, its amount diminishes considerably in July, August and September, and attains its minimum about the autumnal equinox. It then goes on increasing from October, and we begin to lose the substance gained during the summer. From December to March we remain nearly stationary. To conclude, as we consume less in summer than in winter, all other circumstances remaining the same, we are heavier in hot weather than we are in winter.—Boston Transcript.

Always in Danger.

We are never safe. Perils surround us by night and by day. We never go into the street without running personal risk of death or disaster. A runaway horse, a falling stone, the steam-cars, the disease that lurks within us, the sun that may smite us, are but few among the many foes that lay in wait for our lives; but which of us provides for such sudden calamity, or remembers that for the want of some little token upon us friends may look vainly for our return, and never know that in some hospital our dumb lips try to speak their names, our eager eyes vainly look for their coming? It is the more strange that we so rarely carry any record of our own identity when we remember how careful we are about our personal property. We mark our silver, our dogs; we brand our sheep; we put our names upon the clothes if they are to go to the laundry We know the danger of thieves, and the power of accident, when a spoon or a handkerchief is concerned, but we feel our individuality so strongly that we have no fear of losing ourselves Living or dead, at home or among strangers, we feel as if we asserted ourselves so strongly that nothing can ever befall us, and the world not know it. But that is a grave error Any one of us might die to-morrow, and drop out of life unknown, unrecognized, our fate forever shrouded in mystery. When we read a description of the man or woman who was found dead, why might it not be one of our acquaintances? Some of them are sad enough to wish to die, some of them are sick enough to render death probable at any time. The story runs of itself when it is told, but we who see victims in others never imagine that we are ourselves perhaps to be the next who will add to the tale of some winter night, and that we would be wise to take some reasonable precaution against adding ourselves to the long list of the not identified.

DOWN SHE COMES!

Coal, $2.50 Per Ton.

We are now selling a superior quality of coal from the Junction Company of Springfield, for cash, at $2 50 per ton, single ton or car, delivered to any part of the city. Office and yard at Illinois Central Mills, foot of East Main street. Orders promptly filled, and full weights guaranteed.

Nov. 8 dtf GEO. PRIEST & Co.

Holloway's Pills and Ointment—We stand aghast at the thousands hourly hurried to a premature grave, victims of having neglected the first symptoms of disease. Whether the complaint originates in the body, or be introduced accidentally through the skin—fatal results may be warded off by a timely recourse to one or both of these medicines. 25 cents per box or pot.

23 d&w1w

100 Dozen French Corsets, at 75c and $1 00, just received—the handsomest, best and cheapest corset ever sold.

Oct 10 dtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [sept 1-d1m

DAVIS' NURSERIES.

Has now ready for fall delivery 200,000 Apple Trees, 10,000 Evergreens, 20,000 Shade Trees, also, hundreds of Cherry, Pear, Peach and Plum Trees, Grape Roots, &c. Order at once. Anything in the nursery line—will set and insure this spring, if wanted. Prices and catalogues on application to

H. W. DAVIS,
Box 141, Decatur, Ill.

I have also for sale at my Nurseries, eggs for hatching, fresh and genuine, from select birds, of the following breeds: Buff, Cochin, Black Cochin, Partridge Cochin, Light Brahmas, Dark Brahmas, Plymouth Rocks and Houdans.

Also, the best WATER ELEVATOR known; draws with two buckets. Throw out your pumps and draw off the surface water and preserve your health. Prices and description on application to

H. W. DAVIS,
Feb. 15-dawtfms Decatur, Ill.

Ho! for the Holidays.—I take pleasure in announcing to the public that I have just received from the East a fine display of goods suitable for the holidays which I will sell at prices to suit the times. Special attention given to framing pictures mottoes, &c.

JOHN C. MARK,
Nov.24—dwtf 9 East Main St.

Nothing like the tea store where you can get the best syrups for 60 and 75 cents a gallon; sugar-cured hams and bacon 14c a lb., and two lbs. of good cheese for 25c. nov17-d&wtf

Pasture.—The undersigned will take horses to pasture through the winter, with good sheds, blue grass pasture and plenty of water and stalk fields. Leave orders et Caldwell Bros.' stable.

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Keep's Patent Partly Made Shirts, $1.00, and the Manhattan shirts, made complete, $1.25—the best and cheapest shirts in the market, at

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Boots and shoes are a necessity as winter sets in, and the public should understand that V. Barber & Co. have one of the most complete assortments of goods ever offered in that line ever offered in Decatur. They have a full line of overshoes of all descriptions which they are selling very cheap.

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SYMPTOMS OF WORMS.

THE countenance is pale and leaden-colored, with occasional flushes, or a circumscribed spot on one or both cheeks; the eyes become dull; the pupils dilate; an azure semicircle runs along the lower eye-lid; the nose is irritated, swells, and sometimes bleeds; a swelling of the upper lip; occasional headache, with humming or throbbing of the ears; an unusual secretion of saliva; slimy or furred tongue; breath very foul, particularly in the morning; appetite variable, sometimes voracious, with a gnawing sensation of the stomach, at others, entirely gone; fleeting pains in the stomach; occasional nausea and vomiting; violent pains throughout the abdomen; bowels irregular, at times costive; stools slimy; not unfrequently tinged with blood; belly swollen and hard; urine turbid; respiration occasionally difficult, and accompanied by hiccough; cough sometimes dry and convulsive; uneasy and disturbed sleep, with grinding of the teeth; temper variable, but generally irritable, &c.

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No better cathartic can be used preparatory to, or after taking Quinine.

As a simple purgative they are unequaled.

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Each box has a red wax seal on the lid, with the impression DR. McLANE'S LIVER PILLS.

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BEST SUIT OF CLOTHES IN AMERICA FOR THE MONEY, $7 to $10.

NEW STOCK OF CASSIMERES.

Special Bargains in

HATS AND GLOVES.

CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER AND FITS WARRANTED.

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Physicians Cornered!

I suppose there is not in the whole of a physician's experience anything in human suffering which calls forth his sympathy and pity, to such an extent, as to witness the excruciating pains of a poor mortal suffering from the fearful disease of Rheumatism. Heretofore there has been considerable diversity of opinion among medical men as to the true character of this disease, some locating it in the fibrous or muscular tissues of the system, and others viewing it as an acute nervous disorder, but it is now generally admitted to be a disease arising from a poison circulating in the blood, and further it is admitted that rheumatism can never be thoroughly cured without exterminating such poisonous matters from the blood by a constitutional internal remedy. We feel confident that none will be better satisfied and rejoice more than the conscientious physician, who has found out that a true cure for this stubborn disease has been discovered. The following testimony from a Boston business man cannot fail to satisfy all that the

Diamond Rheumatic Cure

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Home Testimony

BOSTON, Jan. 1st, 1875.

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Dear Sir—I desire to state that for the past three years I have been troubled greatly troubled with rheumatic pains; so severe was the last attack that I was compelled to remain in bed a helpless sufferer, and this is the most hurried season of my business too. A friend brought me two bottles of your valuable medicine, the DIAMOND RHEUMATIC Cure, and with pleasure I state that those two bottles affected a permanent cure upon me. Six months have since passed, and no return of this terrible disease has troubled me; I have on various occasions since recommended the DIAMOND RHEUMATIC CURE to several of my afflicted neighbors, and always with a unified result—a certain and perfect cure in each case. I am willing to be interviewed and verbally satisfy any fellow sufferer of the truth of this statement.

Yours respectfully,
P. SHEEAN, Merchant Tailor,
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The discoverer of this medicine has walked the aisles of the hospitals of London and Paris for the last twenty years, making Rheumatism a specialty, and the prescription from which this remedy is compounded is all he ever used in the treatment of this disease. For the past year it has been used with perfect success and satisfaction in the hospitals of Montreal, and is recommended by the very best practitioners in that city as a safe, speedy and positive cure of either gout or rheumatism.

In simple cases sometimes one or two doses suffice. In most chronic cases it is sure to give way by the use of four or five bottles.

This medicine is for sale by all Druggists throughout the United States and Canada. If it happens that your druggist has not got it in stock, ask him to send for it to

GEO. C. GOODWIN & CO.,
38 HANOVER ST., BOSTON.
General Agents for the U. S.
Or to L. H. BUSH, and Messrs. RICHARDSON & CO., St. Louis. FULLER & FULLER, Chicago.

July 13 1876—deod&wly

Dissolution Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE copartnership heretofore existing between C. B. Prescott and J. C. Burks, under the firm name of C B. Prescott & Co., is this day dissolved; and all parties are notified to settle with the said C B. Prescott, and with no other person except upon his written order.

C. B. PRESCOTT & CO.
per C. B. PRESCOTT,

Decatur, Oct. 14, 1876.

Administrator's Notice

Estate of BENJAMIN MAHANNAH, Dec'd.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Benjamin Mahannah, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of December, A. D. 1876, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., Oct. 25th, A. D. 1876.

JAMES DURNING, Adm'r.

Oct. 19, 1876—w6w

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Best Bakers,
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Heavy Plain Castings,
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Lamps, Glass Goods,

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COAL OIL,

AND ALL KINDS OF

Housekeeper's Goods,

AT POOR MAN'S PRICES,

At LIDDLE'S,

COURT HOUSE BLOCK.

August 28—d&wtf

A CARD.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF MY HOSTS of friends and former customers, I would state that I may at all times be found at the large stores of Mr. R. Liddle, Nos. 1 and 2 Court House Block, and shall be most happy to see them all, and show them the largest stock of new and desirable goods ever offered for sale in Decatur, all of which are to be sold at a great reduction from last year's prices—Heating and Cooking Stoves, House Furnishing articles, Queensware, China, Glass Goods, Lamps, and an endless variety of useful and ornamental novelties for the housekeeper.

Don't fail to call and see me, and I will give you bargains. Very Respectfully,

Oct. 16—d&w1m FRANK J. TAYLOR.

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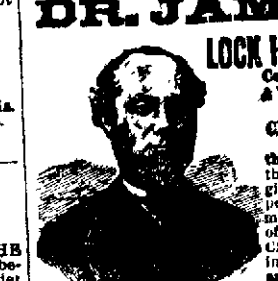

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Tuesday Evening, Nov. 28.

THE Illinois State Board of Canvassers met yesterday and completed the canvass of the votes cast in the State, and Governor Beveridge issued his proclamation at once, declaring the result — This proclamation gives the names of the persons chosen for the following offices: Presidential Electors, members of Congress, members of the State Board of Equalization, Senators and Representatives.

The published list of members of the legislature gives the following as the political complexion of that body

	Reps.	Inds	Dems.
Senate	24	5	24
House	79		74
Totals	101	5	98

There were two cases of contest before the board, both from the 32d Senatorial district, and in each case this board (which is unanimously Republican) decided in favor of the Democratic contestant, although a different conclusion would have given the Republicans a clear majority in the legislature. This action of the board is commended to the consideration of the Confederate howlers throughout the country.

IT is stated that a compromise has been effected between all interests of the Toledo, Wabash & Western road and that this company will be reorganized next February and pass out of the hands of the receiver.

THE unfortunate condition of English manufactures cannot be better illustrated than by reference to the almost total collapse of the iron trade. Foundries and blast furnaces, which have not been sold for years, are now awaiting orders, and iron-masters are failing by the dozen in the attempt to carry idle capital they have invested.

A correspondent of the Boston *Journal* relates an incident of the North Carolina election which illustrates in a striking manner the malignant spirit of the southern democracy. It appears that in 1872 one R. A. Shotwell was convicted in the United States circuit court, sitting at Raleigh, Hon. H. L. Bond presiding, of being the leader of a band of Kuklux, who seized the Hon. J. M. Justice, then a member of the legislature from Rutherford county, in his own house in the night time, took him out, tied him to a tree, and lashed his naked body with terrific cruelty. Shotwell was a man of some prominence, and at the time editor of a democratic paper in the same town where Justice resided. He was sentenced to six years in the Albany penitentiary, and, after serving about two years of his time, was pardoned by the president, on the prayer of Justice, the man he had outraged. He is the only man of any prominence who has ever been punished for any of the Kuklux atrocities in that state. Immediately after his release he settled at Charlotte, the home of Vance, the recently elected democratic governor, and at once became the pet of his party in that county, and was this year nominated for the legislature. Justice, who is a native of the state, a white man, and a lawyer of some repute, has represented his county in the legislature several times, both before and since reconstruction, and in two constitutional conventions. He, too, was nominated in his county for the seat he had occupied so many times. Nothing was ever said against him except that he was a republican. Now, note the contrast. In this centennial year the democratic advocates of conciliation and fraternity elected Shotwell, the unrepentant Kuklux, by a vote twelve hundred greater than they had ever cast before in that county, and defeated Justice, his mutilated and forgiving victim, by a vote four hundred greater than they had ever polled in his county. This was not the result of accessions from the republican party, since it polled more than its usual vote in both. It was simply the result of democratic enthusiasm in supporting a man for office who had given proof of his hatred of republican principles and his defiance of law. Shotwell's conviction of an infamous crime and his just sentence to the penitentiary by a United States court, made him a hero to the democracy, and won him a vote which no other merit or services, however great, could have secured.

THE fortitude and philosophy with which Peter Cooper bears defeat renew one's confidence in the heroism of humanity, and excites the hope that he may yet represent his Ward in the Board of Aldermen.

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THE SOUTH CAROLINA MUDDLE.

(From the Chicago Tribune.)

In contemplating the dispute between the Returning Board and the Supreme Court of South Carolina, the people of the North must keep in mind that the fight simply concerns two factions in the State, and in no wise affects the electoral vote As we understand the situation, an actual count of all the returns, without throwing out any county or precinct, showed the Hayes electors to have been chosen by majorities ranging from 1,200 down to 230. This result was announced before it was determined to reject the votes of Laurens and Edgefield counties; so that, if the order of the supreme court were literally followed, which was that the returning board should aggregate the votes simply as they were returned, it would still leave the electoral vote of the State for Hayes and Wheeler.—The majority for one of the Hayes electors being so small—only 230—the Democrats hoped to secure a Tilden elector by setting up certain minor irregularities, but the returning board refused to consider them. The Hayes electors are chosen, therefore, whatever may be the result of the issue between the supreme court and the returning board; and the national interest in the dispute is considerably diminished by this circumstance.

As to the merits of the controversy, the points seem to be as follows: The returning board of South Carolina, like that of Louisiana, is a constitutional tribunal, whose functions are defined by law. It is empowered under the law, not merely to count the returns from the counties, but to examine and correct them. The members of this board, therefore, deny the authority of the supreme court to enjoin them from doing what the law plainly requires them to do. Moreover, the law limits the life of the returning board to ten days; the board was in session just ten days, and then adjourned *sine die*. But the order of the supreme court directing the manner in which the vote was to be canvassed was not issued until after the board had adjourned and was lifeless under the law. It is claimed, consequently, that the supreme court (1) had no authority to order the returning board to proceed in violation of the law, and (2) that it cannot commit the members of the board for contempt, because this order was not issued until after the members had ceased to have an official existence.

To an intelligent understanding of the situation, it should be known that Moses, the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, is the father of the Moses who was elected governor of the State, in 1872, and whom Chamberlain antagonized. The Moses administration was admittedly corrupt, and it was mainly through Chamberlain's efforts that the corruption was exposed and stopped.—Subsequently, Chamberlain, as governor, refused to commission this same Moses as circuit judge, which increased the feud between him and the Moses family. Now, for the first time, there seems to be an opportunity for the Moses corruptionist to get even with Chamberlain for his hostility to them; and it appears that the South Carolina Democrats, though led by the chivalric Wade Hampton, have not been above availing themselves of the well-known rascality of this modern tribe of Moses to further their purpose of getting control of the State.

The present plan of Moses and his associate Willard, of the supreme court, acting on behalf of the Democrats, who have denounced them for years as scoundrels, is to reconvene the returning board, which is dead in the eyes of the law, and compel it to go back, aggregate the votes as they were returned, declare the Democratic Ticket elected, and give the Democrats the legislature. This is drawing on the credulity of mankind even more than the ancestors of the modern Moses ever attempted. We are told that Joshua commanded the sun to stand still while he whipped the enemy, but he did not attempt the difficult astronomical feat of reversing the natural revolution so as to gain a day or two. So the God of Battles is said to have been on the side of the Jews as long as the arms of the original Moses could be held up in supplication. But the South Carolina descendant of the patriarchial family proposes to stop time by merely turning the hour hand back on the face of the clock; he wants to touch the dead corpse of the returning board, bring it to life, prescribe a retroactive policy in violation of law, and proceed as if he had commanded the reversal of that order of things by which we regulate time.—This, it will be admitted, is a tolerably difficult undertaking; but we are satisfied it can be accomplished in South Carolina and by the modern Moses, if it is possible anywhere. Indeed, the announcement this morning that the supreme court has fined each member of the board $1,500 and committed all the members to jail until released by order of the court, indicates that the modern Moses is determined to exceed the powers of his ancestors.

COMPLETE returns from all the counties in New York, which will not be varied substantially by the official count, show that the total vote for president this year, was 1,011,888, and for governor, 1,006,539; this includes only the votes for the Republican and Democratic candidates. By the census of 1875 the total number of voters in the State was 1,138,330. Tilden's majority is 32,110, and Robinson's 30,001. Tilden received 3,729 votes more than Robinson, and Hayes 1,620 more than Morgan. Hayes has a majority of 21,859 in the State outside of New York, and Morgan a majority of 21,037.

A PRECEDENT.

A Letter from ex-Vice President Colfax.

New York Tribune.

ERIE, PA., Nov. 20.—It has surprised me that in the discussion as to the ineligible presidential electors no reference has been made to the famous John Young Brown congressional case of nearly twenty years ago. When but little over twenty four years of age, he was nominated for congress in a Kentucky district. As the constitution required that a congressman should be twenty five years of age, his lack of years was urged against him in the canvass by his opponents; but he was elected, despite this fact, on the distinct understanding that he was not to swear in until this political disability should be removed, by his arriving at the constitutional age of twenty five. It happened that the congress to which he was thus elected was so closely balanced, one in which for two months the republicans tried in vain to elect John Sherman speaker, and finally elected Gov. Pennington by the vote of Henry Winter Davis. As you are aware, the clerk of the last house presides during the election of speaker, makes up, and calls the roll of members eleet, and they elect a speaker before any of them are sworn in. During the whole of that protracted contest the name of John Young Brown as a member-elect was called on every ballot, and, though he was present, refused to answer to his name and vote.

In June subsequently, he became 25, presented himself at the speaker's desk, was sworn in, and for the first time he took his seat as a member. No one had contested his seat because he elected when ineligible, and no one, even in those exciting times, when the power of a closely contested house hung on a single vote, objected to his acting as a congressman after the constitutional disability was removed, nor to his holding his certificate of election in abeyance until he had the constitutional right to accept or decline it. It may be replied to this that afterward, when persons well known to the voters to be as ineligible as foreigners could be had been chosen, in open and intentional defiance of the constitutional exclusion, they did not obtain their seats. But this does not effect the point settled in the case cited, where the disability was not one permanent, but was removable by time or the act of the person himself. Respectfully yours,

SCHUYLER COLFAX.

IT is said that the legal services of Gen. B. F. Butler, are to be employed by Tilden in the forthcoming congressional contest over the electoral contest over the electoral question, and that professional honor and courtesy alike will compel him to accept a retainer and undertake the case. Desperate conditions require desperate measures; and Gen. Butler is generally considered a good lawyer for a bad case. He is, moreover understood to be fully committed to the theory that the house has the right to defeat the count of any state on the electoral vote where fraud is shown; but when he comes to cast his vote as a republican congressman on the question of throwing out or counting the electoral vote which shall either elect or defeat his client—where will Butler be then? Being a lawyer himself, Tilden had probably answered that question to his own satisfaction before he decided to retain the member elect from the Seventh Massachusetts District.

DR. MARY WALKER is a little more conservative in the style of her dress since the dog bit her. She now wears a row of knife pleatings all around the tail of her coat, and the waistband and the ends of the legs of her trousers are trimmed with ball fringe.

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SPRINGFIELD, Ill., November 27—This morning, the governor and other State officers met to begin canvassing the returns of the recent election. Mr. R. B. McPherson appeared before the board, on behalf of Mr. Bundy, in the Bundy-Jones Senatorial contested case in the Thirty-second district. He held that when the county board of canvassers adjourned sine die, their functions ceased, and they could not be called together again. Their action was final, and it is the duty of the State canvassing board to count the original return and none other, and that the senate is the only tribunal to act upon the subject. He cited numerous authorities in support of his position. The matter was taken under advisement by the board.

There is another contested case in the same district. The name of Heffernan, one of the democratic candidates for the House was printed Rudolphus, in Douglas county, where he received 2,231½ votes; in Coles it was Rhoda—2,463 votes; in Moultrie, Rhoday—2,395 votes. If all are counted for him he will be elected, and the democrats will have two representatives in that district, otherwise there will be two republicans. The matter will probably be brought up this afternoon.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—A *Times'* Greenboro, N. C., special says: The returns received show that the vote for Hayes and Settle will reach 108,000. Tilden's majority will reach 14,000, and Vance will run some four or five hundred behind him. The democrats here are very much excited by the discovery of the fact that one of the Tilden electors, Wm. B. Glenn, is ineligible. He is one one of the commissioners appointed by the southern commission to take testimony. This will give one republiban elector in North Carolina.

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COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 27.—On application for a writ of habeas corpus, the board of state canvassers were this morning brought into the United States circuit court, Judges Bond and Bryan presiding. The board were in the custody of the sheriff, who, through counsel asked for time to make return to the application for the writs. The court signified that time would be granted, and that the prisoners would be held in the custody of the court, pending the return on the application, based on the ground that the board were discharging the duties of appointing presidential electors when the supreme court of the state interfered. On a subsequent motion of counsel, time was granted until Wednesday at 10 o'clock to make a return pending which the board was placed in charge of the United States marshal. The members are now at large, but accompanied by deputies. It is understood that troops will be posted at the state house to morrow, when the legislature meets to organize.

The Democratic counsel and Democratic state executive committee telegraphed this afternoon to Chief Justice Waite, requesting his attendance at the United States circuit court on Wednesday, when the *habeas corpus* case of the state board of canvassers would be heard. Both parties are in caucus tonight. The city is full of people, Nothing has transpired since this morning.

The following dsspatch, signed by Senator Gordon, of Georgia; Senator Johnson, of Virginia; General Wade Hampton, several Circuit Judges, a large number of State Senators and Representatives, white and colored, and many other prominent citizens of this State, has just been sent out:

To the President of the United States:

We, the undersigned visitors from a distance and Committee of the Democratic members elect of the South Carolina Legislature, Democratic Executive Committee, and citizens, having just seen by the Associated Press dispatch that Gov. Chamberlain has applied for United States troops, to be placed under his orders at the assembling of the Legislature, to morrow, send this, our solemn protest, against the troops being placed under command of Governor Chamberlain. We have no objection to the presence of troops, and will co-operate with them in preserving the peace; but we protest against the use of the United States army in controlling the organization of the legislature and enforcing the inauguration of Gov. Chamberlain, who has been defeated by the white and colored voters at the ballot box. There is not the remotest danger of a disturbance of the peace by the democrats. If it occurs, it will be at the instigation of Gov. Chamberlain, whose partisans have taken the only lives lost in the late exciting canvass in this state. Not one drop of blood has been shed in any political disturbance except by republicans. It is literally true that the democrats received the greatest majorities in the counties where United States soldiers were stationed. What pretense, therefore, is there for Gov. Chamberlain's demand for troops to keep the peace? We refer, for confirmation of these statements, to the commander of the United States forces at this place and elsewhere in the State.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 27.—Inquiries are telegraphed here regarding the truth of the rumor of the burning of Wade Hampton's house by a mob. The rumor is unfounded, and probably grew out of the fact that the house of General Hampton's sister, some five miles from Columbia, was burned last Friday night; supposed by incendiaries.

TALLAHASSEE, Nov. 27.—The canvassing board met to day, Mr. McLin in the chair. A protest was filed by the republican electors against Attorney General Cocke sitting as a member, on that he had virtually already given a decision, having telegraphed that the democrats had carried the state, and the republicans could not cheat them out of it. Cocke said he had sent a dispatch in reply to a friend in Baltimore, who asked his opinion and who furnished it to the newspapers. The protest was entered and the board proceeded with business. Mr. Cogwell moved that Gov. Stearns and General Brannon, commanding troops here, be admitted to the sessions of the board. Cocke amended by adding the name of G. F. Drew. The amendment was accepted. The board then went into private session and adopted rules. The board agreed to admit six gentlemen from other states, and six local politicians. Adjourned.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 27.—President Wells in the Returning Board to-day declined to hear any protests or motions read.

Col. Zacharie filed a protest against the sudden modification of the rules so as to allow the admission, as rebutting evidence, of *ex parte* affidavits in contested cases. He claimed it was irregular and a discrimination against the Democrats. The protest was filed without reading or action.

Mr. McGloin filed a request that the tally sheets of East Baton Rouge, which had been ordered telegraphed for Saturday, but which were not telegraphed for on account of lack of funds, be sent for now, and money for the purpose was deposited by the Democrats. Through ignorance of the commissioners of election, the documents were sealed up in the boxes. This mistake will cause the throwing out of the ballot unless the tally sheets are procured. There are Democratic majorities in this parish.

The Board went into executive session and examined the Bienville, West Baton Rouge, Bosier, Caldwell, Carroll, Claybourne, Jefferson, Morehouse, Rapides, Red River, St. Landry, Webster and Winn parishes, and the 2d, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 13th, 15th and 17th wards of the parish of New Orleans. These returns were examined and laid over for future action, there being protests and contests in each case. In the 7th ward of New Orleans parish, the Supervisor threw out the vote of one of the polls, where there was a majority of 173 for the Tilden Electors, on the ground that the vote had not been counted and returned within twenty-four hours after the close of the election.

The Board adjourned till 10 a. m. to morrow.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 27—The Metcalf-Frost contested election case was concluded in the circuit court to-day, and a decision will be rendered Monday.

Mr. Frost, the democratic presidential elector in this state has been pronounced ineligible on account of political disabilities. He was a confederate general, and claims to have a pardon from President Johnson, which republicans assert as worthless against the constitutional amendment on disabilities.

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The latest improvements put on all old style machines, at the

Singer Office, 24 Merchant Street, Decatur.

Nov 17, 1876—d&wly

Bottom Prices
FOR CASH!
The Tea Store
PRICE LIST.

It will save you one-third on your Grocery Bill to read this list through:

Best Rio Coffee, 4½ pounds for	$1 00
Coiche Rio Coffee, 4½ pounds for	1 00
O. G. Java Coffee, 3½ pounds for	1 00
Best Tea, 1 pound for	90
Next Choice Tea, 1 pound for	70
3d " " 1 pound for	40
Best White Winter Wheat "Vandalia Flour," per 100 lbs	3 25
Best Red " " " " "	3 00
Sugar Cured Hams and Breakfast Bacon, per pound	14
Side Meat, "	12½
Cheese, N. Y. Factory, 2 pounds	25
Beans, 2 quarts	15
Best South Carolina Rice, 14 pounds for	1 00
3 pound Can Yellow Peaches	25
3 " " California Pears	25
2 " " " Salmon	30
3 " " Tomatoes	15
2 " " Lobsters	30
1 " " "	18
5 Bars German Soap	25
No. 1 White Fish, per Kit,	1 00

And all other Goods in proportion.

WE DELIVER FREE OF CHARGE.

On purchases of $5.00 and upwards we allow 5 per cent. discount, and on Teas 10 per cent. discount.

All kinds of Smoking and Chewing Tobacco.

Remember the Tea Store, on East Main St., opposite Millikin's Bank.

J. H. HARRINGTON, Prop'r.

Decatur, Ill., November, 1876.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS } ss

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of George W. Boatman, of Edgar county, Illinois, in said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt on his own petition.

REUBEN H. MERIWEATHER,
Oct. 27—d3w Assignee, &c.

Assignee's Notice.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS. } ss

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of David W. Stallings, of Douglas county, Illinois, in said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt on his own petition.

REUBEN H. MERIWEATHER,
Oct 27—d3w Assignee, &c.

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The Daily Republican.

DECATUR ILLINOIS:
Tuesday Evening, Nov 28

CITY DEPARTMENT

The "Nellie," the boss California Pear, at Bills & Foster's.
Nov 25 d1w*

..You can get new sugar-cured ham at A. H Imboden's.

.Call on Niedermyer for the best peachblow potatoes.

..Fresh cranberries at Newell & Hammer's

.Bendure & Co have a full supply of poultry and eggs

..Billy Niedermyer has a full supply of choice cranberries and other fruits.

..Read the new advertisement of S Einstein in to day's paper.
24 1w

..The biggest breeze of the season last night.

..Get your Thanksgiving turkey to-day.

..Boys are grinding up their skates

..No sleigh-ride this time.

..Any fellow who slept in the coal shed last night must have had icy dreams.

.The ground was frozen too hard this morning to admit of work on the streets.

..Housewives are exercising their inventive powers on thanksgiving dinner.

..Our Democratic friends can scent fraud in the returning boards at the South, but are not able to see that there is anything out of the way in shooting Republicans to prevent their voting.—Anything to beat Hayes and elect Tilden is in the highest degree moral and honest.

..Attention is called to the bull to be given this evening at Brenneman's Hall by the locomotive firemen. Arrangements have been made for a splendid time.

..Warm meals and lunch served at all hours at J. J. Drake's Opera Block Restaurant. oc9 dtf

..H. Post has just received a fine lot of jewelry for Christmas gifts, which he sells cheaper than the cheapest.

..Warm meals at all hours, and lunch served to order at McCrary's restaurant, next door east of Warren & Durfee's office, on East Main.

..D. M. Barnett is prepared to furnish his patrons and the public with choice turkeys and chickens for thanksgiving, and all necessary luxuries to match. All his goods are sold at hard-pan figures for cash. Call and see him before buying.

..In the history of the world the cleanest nations have always been victorious in the struggles and competitions of time. As with people, so with individuals With a constant supply of B. T. Babbitt's Best Soap for personal and family use, everything is sure to move along serenely, and the happiest results attained.

..Honesty is the best policy in most things, but in carrying a democratic election the shot-gun policy beats it two to one.

...Good potatoes are now selling at seventy-five cents per bushel.

..Oysters are cheaper this year than they have been for years before, and the luxury of a nice stew is within reach of all.

..Monday is a big day with the outgoing mails, as most people write to their aunts, cousins or sweethearts on Sunday,

..The holiday stock of goods are now arriving at Curtis & Righter's jewelry store, and everybody should see their holiday stock this year before purchasing, as it will be the most complete of any in the market. 27-d3t w1

..On thanksgiving day, besides the entertainments of a more public character, there will be family reunions and neighborhood social gatherings where "friend meets friend." To our mind, the last named manner of spending the day is by far the most sensible, and is certainly more in keeping with the purposes for which the day is set apart than for any other method of passing the time, aside from attendance upon religious service.

At the New Meat Market, on Church street, you will find beef, pork, chickens and all the meats of the season,
Nov. 28 d&w3m

Just received again a splendid lot of of Cloaks, at less than ever before, at Theo. A. Gehrmann's. 18-d2w

Selling at Cost—That is business.—Call on J. P. Marsh for boots and shoes, and you will know how it is yourself.

Real White Ostrich Plumes, cheap, at THEO. A. GEHRMANN'S.
Nov. 28 d2w

E. B. PRATT,
No. 37 North Church street, is prepared to furnish all kinds of Groceries, Glass and Queensware; at low prices for cash or produce. Stove wood, ready sawed, delivered to any part of the city.
Nov. 28 d&w3m

Latest Styles Veilings and Veil Pins, at Theo. A. Gehrmann's.
nov 28 d2w

Change of Time.—Attention is called to the change in the time-table on the Toledo and Wabash R'y; also on the St. Louis Branch, and the Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur.

Police Record.—In Justice Hughes' court the firm of Andrews & Callin plead guilty to the charge of keeping open saloon on Sunday, and a fine of twenty-five dollars was assessed.

LECTURES.

From information contained in our exchanges we learn that other cities in this part of the State are arranging for lecture courses the present winter, and otherwise providing for the intellectual entertainment of their people. We wish something might be done in the same direction here. We are well aware that lectures have not been very well sustained in this city, and the fact that they have not, is not very complimentary to the intelligence and good sense of the people. But while it is true that lectures have not paid, their failure to be self-sustaining has been owing largely to the fact that only third-rate lecturers have generally been employed

It will be remembered that when Wendell Phillips lectured here, some four or five years ago, the opera house was crowded to its full capacity, and so has it been on a few other occasions, when speakers of national reputation have visited us, and we have no doubt that should care be used in the selection of lecturers, a course of lectures might be well sustained the present winter—not only being self sustaining but netting quite a sum for the benefit of our public library. We would suggest a course of four lectures, to be given one each month, in December, January, February and March, and that the lecturers be the best that the country affords Let the tickets be placed at two dollars for the course, and seventy-five cents for a single lecture. Under this arrangement we believe that season tickets enough might be sold in advance to pay the lecturers at the rate of two hundred dollars each, and the single tickets would certainly amount to enough to pay incidental expenses. Now, if the lectures can be had without a cent being made over and above expenses, the money paid out for them would be well invested on account of their elevating tendency, and their effect in creating a taste for something better than negro minstrelsy, threatrical performances and dancing. The fact is, there is danger in any community of the intellectual taste and preferences becoming so depraved, that the mind will not rise above "euchre" and "seven-up," or entertainments of the character alluded to. While we would not be understood as opposing, in to to, entertainments of the lighter sort if they are kept within the bounds of decency, we are of the opinion that these, without entertainments of a higher order, are seriously prejudicial to the intellectual tastes and habits of a community. We hope, therefore, that we may be favored with something of the solid kind this winter, and that our citizens will show, by sustaining it, that they can appreciate what is really valuable and instructive.

Make a Note of This.—We are requested by the proprietor of the opera house to say that a special policeman has been employed to attend the entertainments given at that place from time to time, and that any persons who are guilty of any disorder will be promptly put out, whether young or old. Persons in any part of the house who are subjected to any insult or annoyance, have only to make it known and the thing will be promptly suppressed. This is a step in the right direction, and every respectable citizen will sustain Mr. Haines in the enforcement of good order at this, the only place in the city for public entertainments.

"Dexter."—Our readers will bear in mind the lecture to be delivered this evening at the Universalist Church, by Rev. D. C. Tomunson. This lecture has been given quite extensively through the country, and the press of those cities where it has been delivered has given both the lecture and its author the most flattering notices. As the avails of the lecture are to be devoted to the interest of the Sunday School connected with the church, we trust that our people will feel an interest in doing what they can to swell the fund. Tickets of admission, only twenty-five cents.

Superstition Dying Out.—The colored people of this country have always been noted for their superstition. The mass of them believe in ghosts and hobgoblins, but there is one colored man in Decatur who has no faith in ghosts, and don't scare worth a cent. In conversation with another colored man the other day, he was offered by the man with whom he was conversing, a dollar if he would go and drive a stake into Ike Bannister's grave in the night. He took the offer and drove the stake on that very night, as was attested by it being found the next morning where he had placed it. He claimed and received his dollar

Billy Pastor.—This popular showman and his superb company will pay our city a visit on Thursday of this week, and will in the evening give one of their popular and unique entertainments at the opera house. The company has a splendid reputation in its line, and will doubtless attract a crowded house on the occasion of its appearance here.

Thanksgiving Dinner.—The ladies of the Christian congregation are making thorough preparations to serve the public with a superb dinner on Thanksgiving Day, at the old Baptist church. This will afford families an opportunity to save themselves the labor and trouble of preparing dinner at home, and will leave them free to enjoy the day in social intercourse. The dinner will be supplemented by an oyster supper in the evening, at the same place. The public are cordially invited.

Millinery, Furs, Neckties, Corsets, &c., CHEAPER THAN EVER, at CLERK'S, Sign of BEAR, Merchant street. Furs altered and repaired. 20 dtjan 1

OREANA ITEMS.

OREANA, ILL., Nov 27.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN:—Burglars are still infesting our usually quiet village. Mr. Samuel Miller cellar was visited a few evenings ago and robbed of a quantity of meat. Mr. M. says no dog could have opened the door and shut it, and carried a six gallon jar of meat out; it must have been a man, from the track. Mr F. M. Ayers had his meat house visited by some hungry persons, who helped themselves and went away. J. Kirby has been missing corn from his cribs Several families claim to have missed sundry small articles from their premises.

MARRIED—At 10 A. M., Nov. 36th, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs Lydia Shasted, by Rev. R. R Coon, Mr. Wm. Glesner, late of Lewisburgh, Pa., and Miss Mary E. Shastid, of Oreana, Ill.

They will not go on an expensive bridal tour. Mrs. G. will remain with her mother, while Mr. G. finishes his engagement with Mr. G. M. Bower. He wishes that field of corn was not so large, or if it was only "back East" where it would be no disgrace for Mrs. G. to help him do the husking.

Weddings are getting to be very fashionable in our village. Dame Rumor says the old bachelors and widowers have joined with the multitude who are "making —— by moonlight." The correspondent of the *Whip and Spur* is expected to form a partnership with an Ohio lass about the first of January—Chief Justice tires of paying for music lessons for his nephew, and will marry the teacher to save expense. Our agricultural man will go into partnership with a dressmaker.

A Mr. Opp, of Pinckneyville, Perry county, Ill., died at the residence of Mr. J. S. Shastid on Monday. His disease was pneumonia. Mr. O. came to this county about three weeks ago in search of work. He was in the employ of Mr. Lehman, near Forsyth; also, Mr. J. Turner, and had just commenced work with Mr. Shastid, when he was taken sick and died. He seemed to be industrious, but was not careful enough of his health. He exposed himself in the rain more than he should, and thus brought on disease, which terminated in his death. He has no relatives here; they all live near Pinkneyville, and have been telegraphed to, but nothing heard from them up to this writing. Although this man died among strangers he had the kindest treatment and good medical attention, He was treated by Dr. Hall, of Oreana. Z.

Thanksgiving Ball.—The band boys have made arrangements for one of the toniest balls ever given in Decatur. We hope our people will give every encouragement to the enterprise by bestowing a liberal patronage. The ball is to be held at Brenneman's hall, and Professor Fero will positively be in attendance and act as floor manager. The management will spare no pains to make this the dance of the season.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. A B. Safley left this morning for his home in Iowa, where he will spend thanksgiving with his friends. He wants it distinctly understood that he is *not* going to get "hitched" while away.

What a Lady Says.—I am sure that no Cooking Stove that ever was made has given so great satisfaction as the Charter Oak. The arrangement of the flues is such as to always insure good draft, and quick, uniform baking, which enables the housekeeper to do a large amount of kitchen work with a moderate quantity of fuel; the reservoir is unusually large and supplies all the hot water needed

MARRIED

In Long Creek, on Nov. 18th, by D. Krone, Esq, MR. HOFFMAN MITCHELL and Miss NANCY J. HUDSON, all of Long Creek township

Masonic.—There will be a regular convocation of Macon Chapter No. 21, R. A. M., at their hall this evening at 7 o'clock. Visiting companions in good standing cordially invited. By order,
A. A. MURRAY, H. P.

For the *best* and *cheapest* Corset in the market, call at
Nov 28 d2w THEO. A. GEHRMANN'S.

Thanksgiving Service.—Attention is called to the union thanksgiving service to be holden on Thursday, at the First M E. Church, in which several of the congregations of the city will join. The several pastors will assist in the service, and the sermon will be preached by Rev. Mr. Inman, of the Baptist Church.

Wanted—At the Farmers' Store, No. 37 North Church street, in exchange for goods and greenbacks, Butter, Eggs, Chickens, Pork, Beef, Potatoes, Corn and Wood. E. B PRATT.
Nov. 28 d&w3m

A word to the wise.—If you are suffering from a severe with a suffering Cough or Cold, call on your druggist and get a bottle of Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup, and save large doctor's bills. It relieves instantly. Price 25 cents. For sale by all druggists.
Nov. 27 d&w1w

16 Yards of dark calico for $1.00 at S. Einstein's. 24 1w

The Very Latest.—The following is true, every word of it: The prices of boots and shoes in L. L. Ferriss' store are *now marked down to bed-rock bottom.* Largest stock ever seen.
15-dtf

"DEXTER."

The First Lecture of the Season.

The Rev. D. C. Tomlinson, of Akron, Ohio, will deliver his lecture on "Dexter" at the Universalist Chapel, on Tuesday evening, Nov. 22th. This lecture is given for the benefit of the Sabbath School. The public, and especially the lecture-going citizens, are cordially invited to attend Tickets 25 cents, and for sale by committees, and at Curtis & Righter's jewelry store.
Nov. 23-d5d

Gold and Silver Braids, Fringes, Gimps, Buttons, Gatoons, and a full line of Goods suitable for Masquerade Costumes, at LINN & SCRUGGS'.

Madame Foy's Skirt-supporting Corsets; Moody's Abdominal Corsets, and Bontree's Adjustable Duplex Corsets, *very cheap*, at
oct19-dwtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

All whose sight is dim should try a pair of those Crystal Spectacles. Sold only by Curtis & Righter 27-d3t w1

Reduced Rates.—The St. Nicholas omnibus and carriage line will, from and after this date, carry passengers to and from the depot or to any part of the city for *Twenty-five cents.* Leave your orders at the office of the hotel for either 'bus or carriage. Only 25 cents.
26 dtf LAUX & BRO.

Great Bargains in Jewelry at J. L. Knieper's, 24 Merchant street.
Feb. 7-d&wtf.

The Tea Store, opposite Millikin's bank, gives 4¼ and 4½ lbs. of the best Rio Coffee for $1.00; best plug tobacco, 60 and 70 cents a lb.; best fine cut, 85 cents a lb. nov17-d&wtf

The Handsomest and Cheapest
BLACK SILKS
ever opened in Decatur, at
April 7-dtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

Domestic Paper Fashions, the best patterns in America, sold at M. Goldburg's. Catalogues free.
May 2 d&wtf

The Handsomest Camp Chairs in town are at Ashby's, opera block.
Nov. 27 d&w tf

Diseases of the Lungs, Chest and Throat are so prevalent in our ever changing climate, that such a medicine as Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup is invaluable to the whole community. It cures almost instantly. Price 25 cents.
For sale by all druggists.
27 d&w1w

Fresh Bread, Cakes, Rusks and Buns, at J. J. Drake's, Opera Block. [9-dtf

Patents procured by L. P. Graham, at 32 West Wood street. [july 31 d1y

You can buy 16 yards of good yard-wide brown muslin for $1.00, at S. Einstein's. 24 d1w

A Splendid line of children's cloaks, very cheap, at S. Einstein's.
24 d 1w

For Sale.—A good frame dwelling with seven rooms, eight closets and pantries, cellar, well, cistern and other improvements. Lot 100 by 150 feet, well filled with bearing fruit trees and vines. Apply at this office. oc23-dtf

Hemp Carpets reduced from 16¾ cents to 12½ cents a yard, at
oc27-dtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

TO THE SUFFERING.

Pains in *Back, Head, Heart, Lungs, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Sciatica, Rheumatic Gout, Nervous and Kidney Diseases,* positively cured by DR. FILTER'S RHEUMATIC REMEDY, *Kidney Cordial and Vegetable Liver Pills.* A Physician's specialty 43 years. Never fails when taken as directed.
DR A. J. STONER, Ag't for Decatur.
Nov. 22, '76 dly

A New Arrival of the $16.50 Chinchilla overcoat, just received at B. Stine's Clothing Store. [22 d1w

Is your eyesight failing?—Try the Reading Glasses for sale by Pike, the Jeweler. eb 7 dtf

Every Word in Ferris' new advertisement is the truth boiled down.
dtf

You can get your Thanksgiving turkeys and chickens, alive or dressed, at Leflingwell's, No. 12 East Main street. He has an abundant supply.
27 d3d

Some Beautiful new styles of carpet goods just opened at Abel & Locke's.

A Fine Job Lot of Trimmed Hats, Choice $1.25, at
Nov. 9 d3w THEO. A. GEHRMANN'S.

Ladies' Undressed Kid Gloves, at
18-d2w THEO. A. GEHRMANN'S.

VANDALIA FLOUR!
Sells at the Tea Store for $3.00 and $3 25 a hundred; South Carolina Rice, 14 lbs. for $1.00. nov17-d&wtf

16 Yards Good Calico for $1.00, 12 yards fine bleached cotton for $1.00; 12 yards good Canton flannel for $1.00.—All-wool Flannels, Blankets and Repellants, at extremely low prices, at
Oct 16 dtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

The Tea Store has a large and fine assortment of toilette soap, which the sell at half price. 17-d&wtf

The Biggest Bargain in the city is the $10 Chinchilla Overcoat, at B. Stine's, the Clothier. [23 d1w

Sensible Advice

You are asked every day through the columns of newspapers and by your Druggist to use something for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint that you know nothing about, and you get discouraged spending money with but little success. Now to give you satisfactory proof that GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER will cure you of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint with all its effects, such as sour stomach, Sick Headache, Habitual Costiveness, Palpitation of the Heart, Heart-burn, Water brash, coming up of food after eating, low spirits, &c., we ask you to go to your Druggists, A. J. Stoner, Theo. Hildebrandt, or B. F. Gue & Son, and get a Sample Bottle of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER for 10 cents and try it, or a Regular Size for 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you. [nov 15dawly

☞ **Pairs** Old Dominion Buck Gloves, Mitts and Gauntlets, for ladies and gents—the best and cheapest in America. And as parties from *Decatur and Maroa* are selling inferior gloves, which they falsely represent as the "Old Dominion Buck Gloves," we caution the public against the fraud, as we control the entire production, and *none* are genuine that are not stamped with the name of "Geo. H. Ott" on the instee.
Oct 17 d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

No Use of going to Chicago or New York to have your clothes made. J. R Race & Co. are prepared to make a suit in the highest style of the art.
Au30dtf

I will Sell the balance of French Pattern Hats and Bonnets, at **Importation Prices,** at THEO. A. GEHRMANN.
Nov. 9 d3w

LADIES' FURNISHING and FANCY GOODS, NOTIONS, Berlin Zephyrs, Germantown and every other styles in Yarns. very low prices. CANVAS Mottoes, Slippers and Cushion Patterns; Ladies' Cloaks--the handsomest and most fashionable styles, at and 25 other desirable styles, LADIES' DRESSES, Underwear, Childrens' Circulars, Waterproofs, Bortrees' Hip-Fitting Corset, and made to order according to measure. JEWELRY and CHAINS, the newest styles, sold very cheap. KNIT GOODS, for ladies and children Ladies' Trimmed Hats sold at cost. DOLLS, TOYS, and a large stock of Fancy Goods for the Holidays, very cheap. Come and see what I can do for you. I mean what I say--that I will sell everything in my line to correspond with the hard times. Remember 8 Merchant street is the place for the ladies, or any one else, to buy Goods at bottom prices. Respectfully Yours,
M. GOLDBURG.
Decatur, Nov. 21, 1877—d&w6w

Madame Demorest's Winter Patterns just received at LINN & SCRUGGS'. Call for a Journal of Fashion.
Nov. 21-d&wtf

Elegant new styles Hoopskirts and Paniers, especially adapted to the present style of cloaks and other garments, at Linn & Scruggs [oc19-d&wtf

LINN & SCRUGGS
Now offer, at Wholesale and Retail,
The Largest, Best and Cheapest Stock of
DRY GOODS
Ever Opened in this market

DRESS GOODS in all the Novelties.
CLOAKS, the most fashionable and desirable styles.
SHAWLS, in great variety.
BLACK and COLORED CASHMERES, very cheap.
FURS, in every grade and style.
BLACK SILKS, that cannot be equalled in quality and price.
OUR PEERLESS ALPACAS, unsurpassed for beauty and excellence.
OUR CORSETS are Retailed at Jobbers' prices.
BLANKETS and FLANNELS for the million.
RIBBONS, DRESS TRIMMINGS and NOTIONS.
MERINO UNDERWEAR, for ladies, gents and children.
GLOVES, HOSIERY, HOOPSKIRTS and PANIERS
FELT SKIRTS, in new and beautiful styles
COAKING CLOTHS, CASSIMERES and SUITINGS.
TABLE LINENS, NAPKINS and TOWELINGS.
FANCY GOODS, BASKETS & SATCHELS.
CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, WOOL and LACE CURTAIN GOODS.
TICKINGS, FEATHERS and SHIRTINGS together with an endless variety of other goods, which it would be impossible to enumerate.
☞ Never buy until you examine goods and prices, at LINN & SCRUGGS

Immense Stock
—OF—
CARPETS,
OIL CLOTHS,
DRUGGETS, &C.
Embracing everything that is new in Design and Colors—LOW AS THEY CAN BE BOUGHT IN ANY CITY IN THE UNITED STATES.
LINN & SCRUGGS.

N. B. Although our entire stock is NEW, we have had ten years' experience in the Carpet trade before coming to Decatur, and therefore have nothing to learn, except the prices, which are lower than were ever before known in the history of the country.

LUTHER L. FERRISS,
(Successor to POWERS, FERRISS & CO.,)
Has Every Variety of Goods required in a
FIRST-CLASS BOOT & SHOE STORE.
Prices now marked down to BED ROCK BOTTOM. One Price to All.
Exclusive Agent in Decatur for the Sale of the Celebrated BURT'S BOOTS and SHOES, both for gentlemen and ladies' wear.
Don't be inveigled into buying shoddy Goods of "Wild Cat Stores," when you can certainly get good Goods for less money of
L. L. FERRISS.
Nov. 15, 1876—d&wtf

HOLIDAY GOODS!

FINE BOHEMIAN COLOGNE SETS, with Vases to match.
BOHEMIAN VASES, in large variety.
PARIAN MARBLE BUSTS and STATUARY.
FRENCH BRONZE and LAVA STATUARY.
MOTTO CUPS and MUSTACHE CUPS.
Large assortment of CHINA MANTLES, ORNAMENTS & VASES
SMOKING SETS, in new and handsome designs.
DRESSING CASES, for ladies or gentlemen.
WORK BOXES and FANCY GLASS BOXES.
DOLLS, in China, Bisque, Wax and Rubber.
PATENT INDESTRUCTIBLE DOLLS, with HAIR DOLLS, PERAMBULATORS, BEDSTEADS, CRADLES, TRUNKS, SHOES and STOCKINGS, and a variety of DOLL FURNITURE.
SLEDS, WAGONS and CARTS.
WORK BASKETS and WILLOW WORK STANDS.

IN STAPLE GOODS!
ASSORTMENT IS LARGE.

BRONZE LAMPS and LIBRARY LAMPS.
CHINA TEA and DINNER SETS.
PLATED KNIVES, FORKS, SPOONS, CASTORS, NAPKIN RINGS, KNIFE RESTS, &c.
A fine lot of CARVING KNIVES and FORKS.

Our store has never been more complete, and is not equalled in Decatur. While it would be easy to say that we sell cheaper than any one else, we prefer to invite your inspection.
J. H. LEWIS & CO.
Decatur, Nov. 28, 1876—dtf

..At the Tea Store you can buy the best teas for 90c a lb.; also, 70 and 40 cents a lb. nov17-d&wtf

GRAND THANKSGIVING
BALL!
THE DECATUR BAND
Will give its Fourth Annual Ball at
Brenneman's Hall,
—ON—
Thursday Eve., Nov. 30

All arrangements are on a grand scale, and no pains will be spared by the management to make the affair one of the finest of the kind that ever came off in the city.

TICKETS, ONE DOLLAR!

To be had at W. B. Abbott's jewelry store, and at B. Stine's clothing store, or of any of the members of the band.

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" 3 Fast Express..............................11 20 a. m
" 5 Accommodation..........................3 05 p. m

GOING EAST:

No. 2 Lightning Express....................10 35 p. m
" 4 Atlantic " ....11 50 a. m
" 6 Accommodation.........................4 50 p. m

☞ The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going east.... .... 9:00 a. m........ 9:25 p. m
Going west........ .... 2:30 p. m

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" 45 Accommodation.........................5 45 a. m
" 99 Freight...3 10 p. m

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No. 42 Lightning Express...................10 30 p. m
" 44 Atlantic " ....11 25 p. m
" 46 Accommodation.........................9 20 p. m

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Ar Champaign.	6 25 a m	12 35 p m	5 15 "
" Danville......	8 15 "	2 55 "	1 10 a m
" Indianapolis	11 35 "	6 00 "	4 00 "
" Cincinnati. ..	4 25 p m	11 30 "	9 10 "
T., W. & W. R R			
Lv Decatur......		12 20 p m	10 30 p m
" Tolono......		1 45 p m	11 41 p m
Ar Danville		2 55 p m	1 10 a m
Ar Indianapolis		6 00 p m	4 00 a m
Lv Indianapolis	11 45 a m	6 45 p m	4 15 a m
Ar Cincinnati...	4 25 p m	11 30 p m	9 10 a m
" Dayton.........	4 50 p m	9 00 p m	9 30 a m
" Columbus......	9 30 p m	12 45 a m	12 00 m
" Zanesville......	6 35 a m	6 35 a m	2 30 p m
" Wheeling......	9 30 a m	9 30 a m	5 50 p m
" Washington.	5 20 p m	9 07 p m	7 00 a m
" Baltimore......	6 55 p m	7 35 p m	8 50 a m
" Pittsburg	7 50 a m	7 50 a m	7 15 p m
" Harrisbug......	3 55 p m	3 55 p m	3 45 a m
" Philadelphia	7 20 p m	7 20 p m	7 35 a m
" New York	10 20 p m	10 20 p m	10 25 a m
" Crestline......		4 25 a m	12 25 p m
" Cleveland......		7 05 a m	2 50 p m
" Buffalo..........		1 15 p m	9 15 p m
" Boston	7 00 a m	10 00 a m	4 50 p m
" Louisville......	8 45 p m	11 15 p m	6 30 a m
" Nashville......		8 05 a m	6 25 p m
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On and after Monday, June 26, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING EAST.

Mixed leaves at ....7 00 a m
Express leaves at.......................................7 10 a m
Express leaves at.......................................5 35 p m
Mixed arrives at...12 20 a m

GOING WEST.

Mixed leaves at..2 30 a m
Through Express at....................................1 05 p m
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On and after May 21st trains leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Passenger........... 5 28 A M Sundays excepted
Freight..............10 15 A M " "
Freight.............. 2 35 P M " "
Accommodation 3 50 P M " "

GOING SOUTH.

Freight .... 9 10 A M Sundays excepted
Accommodation 10 15 A M " "
Freight .... 3 50 P M " "
Passenger .... 5 25 P M " "

Train going going north at 2:55 P. M. does not carry passengers.

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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, APR. 24, 1876, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur, daily, except Sunday, as follows:

EASTWARD BOUND TRAINS.

No. 1—Freight leaves Decatur......... 6:55 a m
No. 3—Passenger " " .... 1:55 p m

WESTWARD BOUND TRAINS.

No. 2—Passenger arrives at Decatur 11:06 a m
No. 4—Freight " " " 4:45 p m

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A. W. CONKLIN,
D. S. SHELLABARGER,
C. A. CONKLIN.

Decatur, Ill., Nov. 10, 1876—d3t

Chancery Notice.

In the Circuit Court to the December Term, A. D. 1876.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY. }

John McCaddon vs. Elizabeth McCaddon—Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT having been filed in the clerk's office of the Macon county Circuit Court, that the defendant in the above entitled cause, the said Elizabeth McCaddon, is a non-resident of the State of Illinois, and summons having been issued in said cause, returned not found by the sheriff of said Macon county.

Now therefore you, the said Elizabeth McCaddon, are hereby notified that unless you shall be and appear on the first day of the next term of the said Macon county Circuit Court, to be held at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the first Monday in the month of December, A. D. 1876, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's said bill now pending and undetermined in said court, the same, and the matters therein contained and alleged, will be taken for true, and a decree will be rendered in accordance with the prayer thereof.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk Circuit Court.

R. I. STERRETT, Solicitor for Complainant.
Oct. 25, 1876—d40d

Assignee's Notice.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, } ss
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS. }

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Calvin J. Sabin, of Champaign county, Illinois, in said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt on his own petition.

REUBEN H. MERIWEATHER,
Oct. 27—d3w Assignee, &c.

Assignee's Notice.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, } ss
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS. }

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of William Crumpton, of Macon county, Illinois, in said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt on his own petition.

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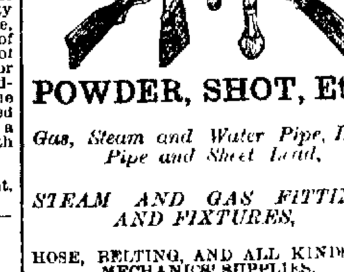

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MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY. }

Macon County Circuit Court.

In the matter of Ottoria Alexander vs Samuel G. Malone, et al.—Foreclosure.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause, in said Court at the May term, A. D., 1876, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court, on

Saturday, the ninth day of December, A. D. 1876,

at the hour of two o'clock, P. M. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois to-wit: Lots Nos. one and two, in the northeast quarter of section thirty-two (32), in township No. sixteen (16) north, range No. three (3) east of the 3rd principal meridian, except one acre, more or less, conveyed to B. A. Burrows, containing forty-six and 43 100 acres, more or less, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
Decatur, Ill., Nov. 16, A. D. 1876—d3w

Chancery Notice.

In the Circuit Court to the December Term, A. D. 1876.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY. }

HENRY A. THOMAS vs. ELIZA ANN THOMAS.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Eliza Ann Thomas defendant above named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said Eliza Ann Thomas that the above named complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the term of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, to be held at the Court House, in Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of December next, 1876, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
A. G. HARRIS, jr., Solicitor for Plaintiff
Oct. 24, 1876—d3w

CHANCERY NOTICE—STATE OF ILLINOIS, county of Macon, ss, Circuit Court of Macon county, December Term, A. D. 1876 John N. Gill, Russell D. Gill and Adeline A. Morrison vs Anna Gill, Lee M Gill, William H. Gill, Daniel F. Gill, Catherine Whitsel and Jane A. Pyles—In Chancery

Affidavit of the non-residence of Catherine Whitsel and Jane A. Pyles, defendants above-named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Catherine Whitsel and Jane A. Pyles, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1876, as is by law required.

Now unless you, the said Catherine Whitsel and Jane A. Pyles, shall personally be and appear before said court on the first day of said term and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill, of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed against you, and a decree entered according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
W. C. JOHNS, Complainant's Solicitor.
Oct. 21, 1877—d4w

Administrators' Notice

ESTATE OF LYDIA HARNER, Deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of LYDIA HARNER, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of November, A. D. 1876, being the first day of said term. Decatur, Ill., October 2, A. D. 1876.

WILLIAM R. HARNER,
SILVEN M. HARNER,
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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, } ss
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS. }

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of George W. Boatman, of Edgar county, Illinois, in said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt on his own petition.

REUBEN H. MERIWEATHER,
Oct. 27—d3w Assignee, &c.

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